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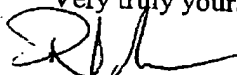
Re: Filing of Amendment  
U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 10/014,508  
Our Ref: NEC.220

Dear Examiner Erdem:

Enclosed please find an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2004 which should place this Application in condition for immediate allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration of this case.

Very truly yours,



Phillip E. Miller

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Enclosure

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In re Application of

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Serial No.: 10/014,508

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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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